

# Fun Marks Feast Of County Physicians

## DOCTORS ARE MERRY AT ANNUAL BANQUET

Good Things to Eat, Lively Talks, Music and Merriment Characterize Medical Society Feast.

Speeches and music, with fancy frills on the menu, made the annual banquet of the El Paso County Medical Society, held Friday night in Hotel Paso del Norte, a most jovial affair. Dr. H. H. Stark opened the exercises with an address of welcome, to which Dr. E. D. Swope, of Deming, president of the Railway Surgical association, responded.

Dr. Hugh Crouse was toastmaster for the evening. Dr. Howard Thompson talked on "Our First Assistants." Judge Dan Jackson talked about "Expert Wit-

nesses," and narrated several instances about the doctors on the witness stand. Maj. Clarence J. Manley, of the medical corps, attached to the 20th infantry, talked on the medical department of the army.

Dr. W. R. Jamieson had a bunch of funny stories to illustrate the "Funny Side of Medicine." In the same vein, Dr. E. H. Ervin talked on the "Ravings of a Diseased Mind." Dr. T. J. McCannan had "Three Strikes" for his subject.

"In the Confessions of a Reformed Druggist," mayor C. E. Kelly made an entertaining talk.

During the evening the physicians were entertained with a number of impersonations of well known El Pasoans, given by Charles Brann, Parvin Witte, "Mandarin," "My Hero," and "Billy."

Among the physicians present were: Drs. A. W. Anderson, L. H. Auerbach, C. P. Bull, C. F. Braden, C. P. Brown,

W. L. Brown, George Brunner, L. J. Bush, E. R. Carpenter, J. W. Calhoun, Hugh Crouse, H. P. Deady, Paul Gallagher, G. B. Calman, F. D. Garrett, J. R. Gray, Ellsworth, C. M. Hendricks, E. H. Ervin, T. J. McCannan, E. C. Frensch, J. A. Pickett, R. L. Ramey, J. M. Richmond, Charles Reinmund, H. T. Safford, M. P. Schuster, H. H. Stark, H. E. Stevenson, G. N. Thomas, H. Thompson, S. T. Turner, W. B. Dr. Armstrong, James Vance, R. M. Worsham, H. S. White, L. G. Witherspoon, M. O. Wright, W. W. Waite, Dr. F. Armendariz, of Chihuahua; Dr. E. Y. Jackson, of Las Cruces; Maj. C. L. Manley, 20th infantry; Capt. Henry C. Coburn, 20th infantry; Dr. Eugene Stadelman, of Sierra Blanca, Texas; Dr. E. D. Swope, of Deming, N. M.; Dr. J. Gilbert, of Alamogordo, N. M.; Dr. A. Laws, of Lincoln, Dr. Stone, of Corona, N. M.; Dr. Woodburn, of Cuervo, N. M.; Dr. Massee, of Santa Fe, N. M.; mayor C. E. Kelly, Judge Dan Jackson, Charles Brann, Phil McCleary and Parvin Witte.

## OLD DOMINION CO. IS DEFENDANT IN SUIT

Change in Business Methods of Big Mining Corporation Is Sought in Supreme Court Action.

Portland, Me., Dec. 12.—A change in the business methods of the Old Dominion company, a mining corporation with an authorized capital of \$850,000, is sought in a complaint filed by Godfrey M. Hyams, of Boston, Friday in the supreme court. The defendant corporation is the holding company for the Old Dominion Mining and Smelting company, of New Jersey, and for the United Globe Mines company of New York, which operates in Arizona. The properties of the company in Arizona are located at Globe and are known as the Old Dominion mine, long one of the most prominent producers in the southwest.

Dodge and Chas. S. Smith, who are officers of both companies and of the Phelps-Dodge company, of New York, which the complainant says dominates all three of the companies.

The defendants allege that the stock has been kept in the vault of the Maine corporation and that it is held in their name to avoid legal complications in New Jersey.

## TAX PROTEST MAY GO BEFORE COURT

Express Company Claims Governor's Lack of Action On Bill Vitiates Emergency Clause.

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 12.—In protesting against the taxes assessed against it, the Wells-Fargo company has raised a delicate constitutional point which probably will be threshed out in the courts.

A new law for the assessment of express companies was passed by the legislature last spring, with an emergency clause. It provided that express companies should pay to the state 6 per-

cent of their gross incomes instead of 5 percent, as under the old law. After the adjournment of the legislature governor Hunt sent the express tax law to the secretary of state without his signature. But the Wells-Fargo company claims that Hunt's action, or lack of action, vitiated the emergency clause and the bill did not go into effect for 90 days after the assessments for the year had been made.

The gross income of the Wells-Fargo company in Arizona last year was \$26,712.12. One percent of this amount is involved in the present controversy.

## TUCUMCARI GETS MORE SIDEWALKS

Tucumcari, N. M., Dec. 12.—At the regular meeting of the city council Thursday night, the petition of C. B. Ritchie, the Tucumcari News and other for a crossing in the middle of the block between Main and Center streets, was granted. The petitioners agree to build the crossing themselves and of the same materials and specifications as adopted by the city.

Sidewalks were ordered on the south side of Center street between the post-office and First street to fill in the space heretofore without walks. A committee, composed of councilmen McElroy and Earl George, was appointed to consider the question of a walk on the south side of Aber street, the street south of Center, the walk to run between Second and First streets. The city will construct a crossing at this point on Second street should the walk be connected up on Aber street, thus allowing the school children and others an easy crossing from the east part of town to Third street and the courthouse. The consideration of several other blocks of walk will be taken up soon by the council.

**IN RIVER BOUNDARY CASE**  
Severo de la O. of Dona Ana county, an aged Mexican, was the witness examined before the commissioners in the New Mexico-Texas boundary hearing Saturday. He endeavored to describe the location of the Rio Grande in the last 21sties. His testimony occupied the greater part of the day.

# El Paso's Big Xmas Store is a Brilliant Spectacle of Yuletide Cheer

Amplified, with splendid stocks, added sales and delivery forces—quick and accurate checking and wrapping facilities—with a smile and courtesy where'er you turn, and a cheery greeting for the young and old alike from Jolly Old Santa Claus—holding daily receptions in El Paso's Greatest Toyland—Thus does the "Calisher" Store cater to your slightest wish—with the usual "Lesser Prices" and instant service.

## A Special Xmas Sale of Furs Monday, Offers Values That Will Be Impossible of Duplication—Later or Elsewhere!

**\$5.00 Brown Cooney Set \$2.95**

Muff and scarf, selected skins of handsome color and rich appearance.

**\$12.50 Iceland Fox Set \$6.95**

Muff and scarf of beautiful snow white long fur—genuine fox.

**\$22.50 Persian Pau Set \$12.50**

A beautifully marked, selected set—in genuine Persian Pau.

**\$35.00 Red Fox Set \$22.50**

Genuine full skin scarf and novelty muff—selected skins.

Aside from these mentioned, dozens of other sets are shown at most attractive prices—Furs that "She" will be sure to appreciate.

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Beautiful large muff and scarf of selected deep color skins.

**\$17.50 Amer. Lynx Set \$12.50**

Full size scarf and muff, in beautifully marked genuine lynx.

**\$24.75 Cooney Mole Set \$15.95**

A magnificently marked scarf and muff in the newest shapes.

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Large novelty muff and scarf of rich genuine Cooney Beaver, new style.

are shown at most attractive prices—Furs that "She" will be sure to appreciate.

## XXTRA SPECIAL

Fur scarfs—regularly worth up to \$17.50—Monday

**At \$6.95 Each**

—These are odd pieces—where the muff has been sold—a splendid choosing of skins of every desired kind—very specially priced Monday, at \$6.95

## Children's Fur Sets

In imitation, genuine angora, grey hare, chin-chilla and leopard cooney—\$1.20 up to \$7.60

Almost Half Regular Prices!

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Cheney Bros.' Crepe de Chine Dress Patterns in Fancy Xmas Boxes . . . . . **\$7.00**

—A gift that will delight the most critical recipient—a full dress pattern of this luxurious silk crepe de chine, in any shade you may wish—the very best quality, of brilliant lustrous finish and soft clinging, graceful texture—very specially priced at \$7.00 the pattern.

## XXtra Special!

Camisole Bows—Pink or Blue . . . . . 5c

Made of best grade satin ribbon—just the thing for camisoles—and dainty lace lingerie. Ribbon Department.

## Infant's Gift Novelties!

(Infants' Section, Second Floor)  
Birth Records, Rattles, Toilet Sets, Soap and Powder Boxes, Comb and Brush Sets, Separate Combs and Brushes, Coat Hangers, Water Bottles and Infants' Buckets—in a splendid selection, 10c up to \$3.95  
Infants' wearables, undergarments, socks, booties, mittens, shawls, caps, leggings, etc.—25c up to \$2.50.

## XXtra Special!

Monday—as long as they last—we place on sale the second shipment—the balance of our first order, just arrived by fast freight—

**100 Folding Game Tables**

**At \$1.95 Each**

—You know what they are—regular \$3.50 fumed oak, brass bound, felt covered tables—these we will sell Monday—as long as they last, at \$1.95 each. Basement Balcony.

## A Sale of Handsome Coats Offers Extraordinary Values

A Magnificent Selection—of the latest Winter Models, that under favorable conditions would be priced at \$22.50 and \$25.00, will be prepared for you choosing—Monday, at just

**\$11.95**

Several most unusual conditions combined to make this sale—and this price possible—all the latest novelty materials and weaves are represented, as are the best models of the season—an early choice Monday—will be a wise choice!

**Just 19 Suits, in This Very Special Gathering Monday, at . . . . . \$12.45**

Nineteen suits—that are regularly worth up to \$22.50—Nineteen suits that embrace every late style and material, luxurious models in grey, tan, blue, brown and black. Coats are long tailored models, messaline or satin lined. Skirts are plain or draped—There will be 19 fortunate buyers here—Monday—Come early!

**\$1.95 \$1.25 \$4.50 \$2.59**

Xmas Waists at

—Dainty crepe and voile blouses, with fancy and embroidered sailor collars—a beautiful selection of new styles, put up in pretty holly boxes . . . \$1.25

Fancy Waists at

Net and shadow blouses, messaline and fancy waists, in a dozen fascinating styles and colorings—will be a big value Monday at . . . . . \$2.59

**\$1.45 Knit Shawls**

Monday at . . . \$1.09

**\$1.95 Knit Shawls**

Monday at . . . \$1.49

Two special values, in handsome styles and desired combinations.

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Imitation Leather Writing Tablets at . . . . . 50c  
Morocco Writing Tablets, . . . \$2.48  
Leather Traveling Cases, . . . \$2.95  
Leather Collar Boxes, 75c to \$1.50  
Satin Brass Desk Novelties and Pads, 25c up to . . . \$1.25  
Ebony and Silver Desk Novelties with cut glass, 35c to . . . \$1.50  
Jewel Boxes, in French Gilt, Pompeian and French Silver Finish, Satin Lined, 25c to . . . \$5.50  
Art Pictures, in White or Gilt Frames, New Subjects, 2 for 25c  
Art Pictures, in Oak Frames, . . . 10c  
Silk Belts and Girdles, 95c to \$2.50  
Leather Hand Bags, 48c to \$7.50  
Child's Morocco Hand Bags, 98c  
Phoenix Mufflers, all colors, 25c and . . . . . 50c

## XMAS HANDKERCHIEFS

Irish Union Linen Initialed, Hemstitched: Extra Special, 2 for 25c  
Pure Linen, Lace Edge Hand Embroidered, Medallion and Butterfly Design . . . . . 25c  
Plain Linen Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Initialed and Broken Assortments. Regularly worth to 35c. Three for . . . 50c  
Men's Initialed H. S. Handkerchiefs, six in pretty box for . . . 75c

## Men's Xmas Ties in Boxes

A Beautiful Selection, All New Styles and Colors, at . . . . . 25c  
Buster Brown Hose for Men, Absolutely Guaranteed. All colors. Four pair in handsome box, \$1.00  
Men's Dollaristo Silk Ties, . . . 55c  
An Extra Special Xmas Offering.

## "MONARCH" DERBY and

## "Perfection" Kid Gloves

are worthy gifts that will be appreciated. These are shown in the newest shades and in all staple colorings—for women, misses and for the little "tots" too, at prices to please you.

Misses' Two Clasp Gloves, White or Colors . . . . . \$1.00

Children's One Clasp Cape Gloves, White or Tan . . . . . \$1.00

Come in sizes 6 months to 10 years, including black, all sizes.

"Derby" Medium Weight, pique stitched, long fingers, Doeksm and Two Clasp Suede Gloves, pr. \$1.50

"Eskey," "Famosa" and "Colona" Two Clasp Kid Gloves, \$1.00 and . . . . . \$1.25

Are shown in medium or light weight, black or colors.

"Britland" Walking Gloves, in tan or white, the pair . . . . . \$1.50

12, 16 and 20 Button Kid Gloves, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.50 to . . . \$4.00

Are shown in black, white, tan and suede—are fully guaranteed, and are the best gloves possible to produce.

## Xmas Greetings & Card Novelties

Xmas Post Cards, with verses, Yuletide novelties and comies—10c dozen—1c each.

GREETINGS FROM EL PASO—clever, artistic booklets with beautiful verse—each 10c.

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Are Shown in Bewildering Selections!

Bar Pins, Beauty Pins, Brooches, Shirt Waist Sets, Blue Bird Pins and Rings worth to \$1.00 at . . . . . 25c

La Vallieres, Ear Drops, Brooches, Chains, Hat Pins, Belt Pins, Hair Bandoaux, Bracelets, Bar Pins, Lockets, etc. . . . . 25c up to \$7.50

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Dresser Trays, 50c to . . . . . \$2.00

Puff Boxes, 25c to . . . . . \$3.50

Hair Receivers, 25c to . . . . . \$3.50

Nail Buffers, 35c to . . . . . \$1.25

Perfume Bottles . . . . . 98c

Cloth Brushes, \$1.95 to . . . \$2.75

Vanity Boxes, 25c and . . . 35c

Nail Files, Cuticle Knives, Button Hooks, Shoe Horns . . . . . 25c

Men's Toilet Sets, \$2.75 to . . \$11.50

Manicure Sets, \$1.25 to . . . \$4.95

Toilet Sets, \$1.95 to . . . \$12.50

Silver Toilet and Manicure Sets, \$4.95, \$5.50 up to . . . . . \$3.98

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\$1.50 Large Size Hill Climbing Locomotive and Tender . . . \$1.00  
\$1.50 Folding Metal Canopy Bed, Completely Trimmed . . . \$1.00  
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This is a most instructive toy, can be set up in 25 distinct models, cars, engines, bridges, etc.  
Pianos—Upright, Baby Grand, 50c up to . . . . . \$6.50  
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Electric "Movies," Ready to Operate, \$2.25 to . . . . . \$6.50  
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Building blocks, game, folding metal beds, Noah's ark, stable, horse and cart, Xmas trees, live stock express, combination bank safe, 12x18 red finished hardwood tables, etc.

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